

## In Towns About

**Arkansas City.**  
From the Daily Traveler.  
Gene Bunnagartner came in from the north last night.  
Mrs. W. H. Upton has gone to St. Louis to visit relatives.  
Forrest Hartley returned from Baltimore this morning.  
Mrs. Alexander is very sick at her home at C. M. Scott's.  
Miss Jennie Moffet comes home this evening from Ottawa.  
Wm. Woods, of Perry, spent Sunday in the city with his family.  
E. Scoborn and wife returned from a visit to Winfield last night.  
J. H. Havighorst, of Perry, is visiting in the city with Joe Lafferty.  
Miss Gertrude Woods returned last night from her visit to Hutchinson.  
The Chillicothe Indian nine and the Winfield team will play a match game of ball here at the race track next Saturday.

**Hutchinson.**  
From the Daily News.  
The Gun club held the biggest shoot of the season on last Saturday evening, about fifteen shooters participating.  
J. S. George demonstrated to the boys that he is not a "green," and tied clearwater for first average, Chas. Johnson and Childerster tied for second place, and each made straight scores in some of the events.  
In a ten race, twenty-five birds, Hamer and George defeated Leimbach and Allen.  
Mr. Hamer, a guest of the club, is a member of the Riverston Gun club, of Philadelphia, the wealthiest and swiftest club in America.  
H. H. Shortz, foreman for Henry Bennett, who has the contract for building the new Santa Fe depot in this city, is here on the ground with his sleeves rolled up and a well drilled company of plows and scrapers ready to excavate for the new building. The engineers will stake off the site and then the dirt will begin to fly.

It is encouraging to see the workmen, and material actually arriving.  
**Wellington.**  
From the Daily Mail.  
Around a well-to-do Bohemian farmer, commonly known as "The Flying Dutchman," who lives in Caldwell township, clusters quite a romance which has been revived in the minds of the Caldwell public during the past few days.  
Oswell was about fifty years of age, prosperous, but lonesome. He wanted a wife. By means of a matrimonial newspaper he got into communication with a Kansas City widow. Finally he went to see her. She proved to be a Jewess.  
His visit resulted in an arrangement that the widow should come to his home for three weeks, on trial as it were. If she liked him and the place and he liked her they were to marry. She came. Both were pleased and, at the end of the three weeks, they were married, some four or five months ago.

The week following the marriage the bride returned to Kansas City on a business visit. Upon her return, the husband was astounded to see her accompanied by three pretty and elegant young ladies whom she addressed as her daughters. This was a stunner to the old gentleman, but he accepted the inevitable with the best grace possible.  
In a short time the new Mrs. Oswell had installed a servant in the house to do the drudgery; the old gentleman had bought her a new carriage and a team. The new family seemed to be living happily and contentedly. The wedding was taken place next week. In order that the young couple might have a home of their own, a suite of three rooms was rented over Ross' drug store. Mrs. Bennett fitted them up with nice, new furniture and such other conveniences as a mother's loving heart and skillful hands suggested.  
But "the best laid plans of mice and men oft go awry." Last Saturday morning young Bennett secured a buggy. He drove to the Oswell farm. Mrs. Oswell's second daughter, Miss Anna Hyatt, the Jewess, was expecting him and awaiting his arrival. A few hours later they drove into Wellington, secured a marriage license and were married in this city during the day; drove back to Caldwell and went to house-keeping that night in the apartments that had been fitted up for another bride.

The elder Mr. and Mrs. Bennett knew nothing of their son's marriage until Sunday morning. They were very highly incensed at his action. But we hope that time will assuage their grief; that their disappointment will be forgotten; that their new found daughter may prove herself worthy of their fondest affections and that George will really settle down and make a model son and husband.  
"False in one, false in all" is an ancient legal maxim. Remember it to the disadvantage of any tradesman who tries to substitute one article for another.

## EL PASO FLOOD SUFFERERS

**Governor Culberson Asks the Legislature Grant Relief.**  
Austin, Texas, May 31.—Governor Culberson sent a message to the Texas legislature this morning calling the attention of that body to the distressed condition of the flood sufferers at El Paso and asked the legislature to appropriate money to give them assistance. He said the citizens committee of El Paso only asked for \$5,000 and a bill was promptly introduced appropriating that amount, which will be passed this afternoon by both houses so as to give immediate assistance.

## BREAK NEAR BATON ROUGE

**Crevasse Water is Within Three Miles of That City.**  
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## REDS ARE LUCKIEST

**MANAGING TO ADD TWO WINS TO THEIR COLUMN.**

**Defeating Washington Both Morning and Afternoon by the Same Score, 4 to 3—Baltimore Wins One Off Chicago and Ties the Other—Colombians Beat the Phillies Once and are Shut Out Once—Morning Games at the Other Places Rained Out—New York, Boston and Brooklyn Win.**

Clubs.	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Baltimore	21	12	9	.571
Brooklyn	20	14	6	.700
Pittsburgh	20	13	7	.650
Boston	20	12	8	.600
Cleveland	20	13	7	.650
New York	20	14	6	.700
Louisville	20	15	5	.750
Philadelphia	20	13	7	.650
Chicago	20	11	9	.550
Washington	20	9	11	.450
St. Louis	21	6	15	.286

**PHILADELPHIA 3-4, LOUISVILLE 4-1.**  
Philadelphia, Pa., May 31.—The Phillies returned from their disastrous trip today and played two games with Louisville. The visitors took the first by lucky hitting. In the seventh, with two out and two men on bases, Clarke lifted the ball of the right field fence. Both clubs fielded almost perfectly. Score: R H E  
Philadelphia.....001000000-2-8-0  
Louisville.....001000000-4-8-2

**BALTIMORE 4-3, CHICAGO 4-6.**  
Chicago, Ill., May 31.—The Champions won the morning game, which was long drawn out and loosely played. Bond's wildness gave the locals their four runs. Attendance 1,850. Score: R H E  
Chicago.....310000000-4-4-4  
Baltimore.....010000000-4-8-1

**CINCINNATI 4-4, WASHINGTON 5-3.**  
Cincinnati, O., May 31.—The Senators were defeated by the Reds this morning in an exciting game. Both teams played snappy ball. Wright played third base for the Senators, Kelly being ill. Norton took Wright's place in left field. Attendance 2,000. Score: R H E  
Cincinnati.....100001101-4-8-2  
Washington.....000020000-5-3-2

**NEW YORK 10, PITTSBURG 2.**  
New York, May 31.—Twenty thousand people saw the New Yorks administer a good drubbing to the Pirates this afternoon at the Polo grounds, the morning game having been postponed on account of rain. It was all over after the first inning, when the Giants scored eight runs on a double, a couple of singles and errors by the Pittsburghers. Tammill went in to pitch for Pittsburgh, but could stand the pace for only two innings, when Hastings relieved him and pitched good ball. Rustie was in good form and pitched a pretty game. Score: R H E  
New York.....511000000-10-13-3  
Pittsburg.....000020000-2-13-6

**BOSTON 10, ST. LOUIS 5.**  
Boston, Mass., May 31.—Rain prevented the Boston-St. Louis morning game, and in the afternoon game, the slippery grounds made good fielding almost impossible. St. Louis presented a crippled team. Houseman being sick and Hartman laid off with a sprained ankle. The Bostonians batted heavily, and won by a score of 10 to 5. Attendance 2,500. Score: R H E  
Boston.....112444550-10-13-3  
St. Louis.....040000100-5-12-6

**BROOKLYN 5, CLEVELAND 2.**  
Brooklyn, N. Y., May 31.—The Brooklyn and Cleveland teams celebrated Memorial day at Eastern park this afternoon, and no less than 15,000 persons were on hand to assist them. The morning game was postponed because of rain. Brooklyn hit Young freely in the first two innings. Payne pitched a masterly game, and kept the hits made off him well scattered. Interest was centered in the work of Sockalexis, the Indian, but his first appearance as a league player in the east. He failed, however, to distinguish himself in any way. Score: R H E  
Brooklyn.....200000000-5-7-1  
Cleveland.....000000000-2-10-4

**AT DETROIT.**  
Detroit.....200000000-4-4-1  
Minnesota.....000000000-6-8-6

**AT BATTLES.**  
Battles-Detroit, Egan and Trout; Minn. Reppels, Smith and Boyle.  
Second game—  
Battles-Detroit, Egan and Trout; Minn. Reppels, Smith and Boyle.

**AT ST. PAUL.**  
St. Paul.....014401213-10-16-2  
Columbus.....001000000-1-4-1

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## BOTH MUST SUFFER

**DURRANT AND WORDEN FAIL OF EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY.**

**Durrant's Parents are Disappointed That He Has No Emotions to Give Way to—His Attorney Meets the Appeal in the Supreme Court and the Additional Resort of the Federal Courts—The Elder Durrant Promises to be Present at His Son's Execution—Stations Convicts at San Quentin are Missing up Bedlam.**

Sacramento, Cal., May 31.—Governor Budd has decided not to interfere in the death sentences of Theodore Durrant and Walter D. Worden. The former was convicted of the murder of Blanche Lamont, at Emanuel Baptist church, and Worden was found guilty of wrecking a train during the American Railway union strike three years ago, when Engineer Clark and three United States soldiers were killed.

When Mr. and Mrs. Durrant received the news of Governor Budd's decision, they expressed themselves as greatly disappointed, but neither manifested any emotion. They took the news quietly and gave vent to neither anger nor tears.  
Mr. Durrant was with his son at San Quentin for several hours yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Durrant went over today to visit with her son. She declared that if he is executed she will be present.

Eugene Duprey, Durrant's attorney, last night said that there was yet an appeal pending before the supreme court. He added:  
"Failing in the state courts, we may file our case in the federal courts and ask for a writ of superseas to the warden of the state prison upon proceedings. This will prevent the execution and can be done either by application to the United States supreme court or to those of inferior jurisdiction."

Referring to this possibility, Warden Hale says that he will be governed by the opinion of the attorney general.  
San Quentin, Cal., May 31.—Theodore Durrant has made the declaration that if he must meet his fate on the gallows he will die like a man. The mere suggestion of suicide is repulsive to him, he says. He also says that he will die in the presence of his parents, who will insist on attending the execution as his invited guests.

The elder Durrant says that his wife is a woman of determination and she will press her legal rights to the limit. Under the law Warden Hale cannot deny her admission if she presents at the prison an invitation of her son requesting her presence at the hanging. The law gives him the right to invite five relatives.

**HOWLING LIKE MANIACS**  
Maniacs San Quentin Convicts, Locked Each in His Cell, Quill Howl.

San Francisco, May 31.—"Shoot the first man that breaks out of his cell." That was the order to the guards at San Quentin prison last night. The prisoners were shrieking like maniacs and rattling and pounding on the iron doors of their cells. The guards were doubled and each carried a shotgun loaded with buckshot.

Two men who were released yesterday, their terms having expired, told what the desperate convicts are planning. According to this story, it has been agreed among the ringleaders that when they are permitted to return to work in the jail mill, they will make a sudden rush, kill Engineer Young if necessary, overpower the guards and completely wreck the magnificent plant on which an enormous amount of money said to be nearly \$1,000,000, has been spent. The machinery is of such a nature that it is not very soon can be damaged and practically destroyed, and the convicts are worked up to such a pitch that they would stop at nothing. There are 1,304 prisoners within the walls of San Quentin. Over half of them are in open revolt. Many of the others sympathize with the violent ones. During the afternoon Governor Budd telephoned Warden Hale, requesting advice as to the exact situation at the prison. The governor was anxious to know if there was any danger of a jail break. The warden replied that the situation was improving and informed the governor that the men were all safely locked up in their cells, and that in his judgment there was not the slightest chance for a single prisoner to escape.

Governor Budd did not make any suggestions as to what course the warden should pursue, but left everything with Hale, telling him that he would back him to the end and would send militia if necessary.  
The warden says that all the complaints made by the men are trivial. Director Wilkins declares that they have no real grievance. Prison Surgeon Lawler says that the opinion of the men who have been deprived of the drug are at the bottom of the trouble.

San Francisco, May 31.—The situation regarding the recalcitrant convicts at San Quentin prison remains unchanged. Guards having taken no steps today to test the temper of their charges, who still maintain their defiant attitude and make as much noise as possible whenever one of the guards or Warden Hale shows himself in the vicinity of the cells where the strikers are confined. Despite the fact that he has expressed the opinion that the insubordinates are making Warden Hale's life a misery, he has armed every available man within the precincts of the prison with shotguns, while Gatling guns are trained upon the quarters occupied by the mutineers, ready to be utilized the moment any sign of an outbreak is made by those within the tanks.

**What Dr. Gungulius Says.**  
"The collection of music gathered together in 'Sweet Sacred Songs' is excellent and inspiring, and will make any home a place of melody and joy." F. W. Gungulius, A. M. D. D., Pastor of Plymouth Congregational Church, Chicago.

**TWENTY-FIVE AND COSTS**  
Or Thirty Days in Jail is What the Architects Get.

Pittsburg, May 31.—The forty-seven architects arrested at a picnic near Glenwood yesterday for disorderly conduct were this morning fined \$25 and sent to thirty days to the work house.

Geo R. Barse, Pres. J. H. Walte, Sec-Treas.  
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## EARTH GETS A JOLT

**TREMOR IS FELT FROM OHIO SOUTH INTO GEORGIA.**

**Between 12 and 2 o'clock Shivers Crawl up and Down the Spinal Column of the Alleghenies, Shocks and Tremors Being Experienced at Many Places in Ohio, Pennsylvania, Maryland, East Tennessee, the Virginians, the Carolinas and Georgia—Nervous People Seek the Open Streets—No Damage to Buildings.**

Washington, May 31.—An earthquake shock was felt here at one minute of 2. It lasted about five seconds and caused chandeliers to sway and floors to tremble perceptibly. It was noticed at the capitol, in the telephone exchange and several of the high buildings. In the Associated Press office at the Post building the vibrations were felt very distinctly.

The weather bureau and naval observatory, which have recording instruments, were closed on account of Decoration day but a watchman at the observatory says the shock lasted nearly a minute and that the movement was from south to north.

The self-recording instrument at the weather bureau shows that the earthquake began at 1:53:45 and lasted five minutes. The movement was from south to north.  
Baltimore, May 31.—A slight earthquake was felt here shortly before 2 o'clock this afternoon. It was not noticeable except in the higher buildings but in these distinct vibrations were felt lasting about five seconds.

Cincinnati, O., May 31.—Dispatches report the earthquake felt distinctly all over Ohio, Kentucky and West Virginia. Zanesville, O., May 31.—An earthquake shock was felt here about 1 o'clock this afternoon. The Courier building, four stories, exhibited decided vibrations. To some extent was this noticed and experienced that employees on the fourth and third floors deserted, hurrying below greatly frightened. The motion was from east to west.

Cleveland, O., May 31.—At 12:45 o'clock a severe earthquake shock was felt at this point.  
Columbus, O., May 31.—A slight shock of earthquake was felt here about 1 p. m.

Huntington, W. Va., May 31.—A distinct shock of earthquake, lasting ten seconds, was felt here at 2:58 this afternoon. It was felt generally through West Virginia from west to east.

Wheeling, W. Va., May 31.—At 2 o'clock this afternoon a distinct earthquake shock was felt all over Wheeling and the surrounding towns. No damage was done so far as could be learned. The quake lasted about thirty seconds and was violent enough to shake brick buildings slightly.

Pittsburg, May 31.—A slight earthquake was felt here at 1:54 o'clock this afternoon. The tremor was quite perceptible in high buildings and lasted nearly a minute.  
Richmond, Va., May 31.—An earthquake shock which lasted a few seconds was experienced about 1:30 p. m. today. It shook buildings and rattled buildings but no damage was done. The people in many high buildings were badly frightened.

Chattanooga, Tenn., May 31.—A slight earthquake was felt about 1:30 p. m. today throughout East Tennessee from Bristol to Chattanooga. No damage is reported, but the shock was very perceptible.

Winston, N. C., May 31.—Three severe shocks of earthquake were felt here at 10 o'clock this afternoon. Wild excitement prevailed but no damage was done.

Asheville, N. C., May 31.—At 1:50 o'clock this afternoon an earthquake shock very perceptibly shook Asheville. Hundreds of occupants of buildings ran into the streets. No damage was done.

Charlotte, N. C., May 31.—At 1:45 o'clock today a distinct earthquake shock was felt in this city. It did no damage, but created much excitement.

Spartanburg, S. C., May 31.—A distinct earthquake, shaking buildings and rattling windows, was felt here at 1:55 p. m. It was as severe as that of August, 1888.

Atlanta, Ga., May 31.—A shock of earthquake was clearly felt here at 1 o'clock this afternoon. The trembling was not severe and there was no excitement.

Charleston, W. Va., May 31.—At 2 o'clock this afternoon a severe earthquake was felt all over the city. In many buildings the furniture was moved by the vibrations. The people are panicky and many ran out of their large business houses, thinking the buildings were about to tumble down. The vibrations were from north to south and lasted about fifteen seconds.

**AMONG THE CHURCH PEOPLE**  
Hot Debate Arises in the Reformed Presbyterian Assembly.

Beaver Falls, Pa., May 31.—A lively session was caused at today's assembly of the Reformed Presbyterian church by the report of the committee on evangelistic work, which declared that the report showed a decrease in membership. After the discussion resolutions were adopted urging the sessions to arrange for vigorous evangelistic work.

The committee on discipline reported the case of Dr. McAllister of Pittsburgh, charged with heresy, and the case was referred to a special committee, with complete jurisdiction, who will report before the next assembly.

In the discussion of the report of the committee on national reform, Dr. R. J. George of Allegheny said that the appropriation of \$8,000 to the National Reformation association was used in publishing a paper which did not aid the church, but really worked against it. He referred to the Christian Statesman, of which Dr. McAllister is editor-in-chief. Dr. McAllister replied, stating that the paper had started that all denunciations might be benefited; that it was a private investment in which he had lost thousands of dollars and had not confiscated a cent of the church money. He was at a loss to understand why this charge should be made at this late day, and closed by saying that the church might do well to cause the appropriation to the National Reformation association, and then only be doing a portion of her part.

At the evening session Rev. T. H. Acheson of Denver, and others, delivered addresses.

Rock Island, Ill., May 31.—In the United Presbyterian general assembly today, the question of increasing the compensation to women medical missionaries was referred back to be reported to the next general assembly.

The report on foreign missions was adopted, carrying with it the appointment of two new missionaries to Egypt and three to India.

Richmond, Ind., May 31.—Bishop Dillard of Dayton, Ohio, presided over today's session of the United Brethren quadrilateral conference at Dublin, Ind. The publishing house report showed assets of \$9,566 in excess of those of four years ago. The committee on education recommended a new college at Huntington, Ind., to be called the Central college, and that a theological department be opened soon. This college is worth \$25,000, all gifts.

It is more important to bear good fruit than much fruit.—Barn's Horn.

## THE MARKETS.

**CHICAGO LIVESTOCK.**

Chicago, Ill., May 31.—There was a better general demand for cattle, and prices ruled stronger, with desirable cattle selling at 100 pounds, 10 cents per pound higher. Sows were largely at \$3.50 to \$4.00 for the common lots of native dressed beef steers, up to \$5.00 for choice to extra quality. Sows were a last at \$1.50 to \$1.75, as there was the usual scarcity of such material. Stockers and feeders were sold fairly at 100 pounds, and butchers and cannery stuff was active and firm. Natives were steady and so were calves.

Hogs.—Despite the liberal supply of hogs, prices were 2 1/2 cents per 100 pounds higher, there being an active demand on the local and shipping markets. Sows were largely at \$3.50 to \$4.00, the extreme range being \$1.75 to \$2.00, with prime assorted lights selling at a small profit.

Sheep.—There was an active demand for sheep and prices ruled firm at \$2.50 to \$3.00 for native, and \$3.00 to \$3.50 for foreign. Lambs sold at \$3.50 to \$4.00 for four to choice, and wooled Colorado sold actively at \$4.00 to \$4.50. Spring lambs brought \$4.00 to \$4.50 per 100 pounds.

Receipts—Cattle 15,000; hogs, 42,000; sheep, 15,000.

**KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK.**  
Kansas City, Mo., May 31.—Cattle—Receipts 3,500. Market steady to strong. Texas steers, \$3.00 to \$3.50; Texas cows, \$2.50 to \$3.00; native steers, \$2.50 to \$3.00; cows and heifers, \$1.50 to \$2.00; stockers and feeders, \$1.50 to \$2.00; bulls, \$1.50 to \$2.00.

Hogs.—Receipts 5,000. Market steady. Native, \$3.00 to \$3.50; foreign, \$2.50 to \$3.00; dressed weight, \$2.50 to \$3.00. No exports today.

Sheep.—Receipts 1,000. Market steady. Native, \$2.50 to \$3.00; foreign, \$2.00 to \$2.50; dressed weight, \$2.50 to \$3.00. No exports today.

St. Louis Grain and Produce.  
St. Louis, Mo., May 31.—The Merchants' Exchange was closed today, but there was some business transacted on the curb. July sold at 75 1/2, and later to 75 1/2. Puts sold at 75 1/2, and 75 1/2 was bid. Calls sold at 75 1/2.

Receipts—Flour, 5,000; wheat, 14,000; corn, 15,000; oats, 12,000.

**LIVERPOOL GRAIN MARKETS.**  
Liverpool, Eng., May 31.—3 1/2 p. m. wheat—Spot No. 1 red northern spring duell, 5s 11 1/2d.

**REPORT FROM MARK LANE.**  
London, Eng., May 31.—The Mark Lane Express, in its weekly review of the crop situation says:

"We are unable to share the view that wheat is making reasonable progress. It is not thick and the ground growth since Easter has been extremely slow; but last summer's warmth is still in the ground and the autumn store of moisture beneath the soil should protect us from disaster.

"In France, the weather has not been favorable. Even the minister of agriculture reports of the wheat only argued a yield of 27,000,000 quarters, leaving 6,000,000 quarters to be imported.

"The Russian and Polish wheat is promising, but crop raises in Austria have reduced fine prospects.

"Russian reports are mostly encouraging. 'Wheat'—Popularity of American flour increases."

**WICHITA MARKS.**  
Wichita, Kan., May 31, 1897.  
HOGS.  
Hogs—Five cents higher.

**REPRESENTATIVE SALES.**  
No. Dock. At. Price. Per Cwt. Price. Per Cwt.  
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